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Mr. Robert L. Bannerman
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Dear Bob:

Today marks the end of [] tour of duty at NPIC. We are sorry to see him go. His assignment here was somewhat of an experiment since he was the first Support Careerist of supergrade status to be assigned to the Center. The high value of his contribution can probably best be measured by the sharply increased attention and support that he has been able to mobilize on behalf of the Center's efforts.

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I know I need not extol Bob's virtues since I am sure you are well aware of his many talents. You are fortunate to have an officer of such ability to call upon.

As he moves on to another assignment after two years in NPIC, I feel that he has become an even more valuable officer for the Support Directorate and the Agency. Having played a key role in the management of the Center's affairs, he has had a broad exposure to the world of science and technology. I believe this experience will serve him in good stead in future assignments.

We thank you for sending Bob to work with us. He is a personable, hard-working, dedicated officer with a deep concern for people-related problems. He will be sorely missed by all of us here.

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